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SUBJ: AUGUST 23 MIDDLE EAST PRESS COVERAGE LIMITED; ARAFAT, ADHAM
ARRIVE

1. MAIN MIDDLE EAST EVENT IN PRESS AUGUST 23 WAS FAHMY'S
MEETING WITH EC AMBASSADORS (SEPTTEL). ONLY OTHER IMPORTANT
ACTIVITY WAS ARRIVAL OF ARAFAT FROM TRIPVLI AUGUST 22 IN
COMPANY OF ABU MAZEN. BRIEF REPORT DID NOT SPECULATE ON
HIS CONTACTS HERE, BUT PRESUME HE WILL BE SEEING FAHMY AND
SADAT.

2. ARRIVING AT SAME TIME FOR FEW DAYS VISIT WAS SAUDI KING
KHALID'S ADVISOR, KAMAL ADHAM. AGAIN, PRESS REPORTS OFFERED
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NO INDICATIONS OF HIS ACTIVITIES. WHILE HE CONCEIVABLY HERE
TO DISCUSS NUMEROUS ISSUES INCLUDING HORN OF AFRICA (NUMAYRI
AND SOMALI VP BOTH IN EGYPT), EGYPTIAN- SOVIET RELATIONS
AND LIBYA, WE ASSUME ARM TWISTING OF ARAFAT AND QUESTION OF
242 IS ALSO ON ADHAM'S AGENDA.

3. ONLY EDITORIAL COMMENT WAS IN GUMHURIYYA, WHICH ARGUED

THAT ARABS MUST STAND WITH U.S. AS IT (U.S.) FACES ISRAELI
PUBLIC PRESSURE CAMPAIGN. "BATTLE IS OURS AND NOT AMERICA'S."
ARABS MUST MOBILIZE THEIR PUBLIC RELATIONS FACILITIES TO
EXPLAIN "UNBIASED U.S. PUBLIC OPINION" NATURE OF ISRAELI
"INTRANSIGENCE AND FAIRNESS OF ARAB/PALESTINIAN STAND."
"WE COULD THUS GUARANTEE SUPPORT OF UNBIASED AMERICAN OPINION
FOR ITS COURAGEOUS LEADERSHIP AND GUARANTEE AS WELL THE
SUPPORT OF THE HONEST GROUPS INSIDE THE U.S. CONGRESS."
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